ICDS in Andhra Pradesh

716. SHRIMATI N.P. DURGA: Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of ICDS programmes implemented in Andhra Pradesh during the last three years, year-wise; and

(b) the details of amount released for the above programmes to the State during that period, year-wise and scheme-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY): (a) The details of ICDS Scheme implemented in Andhra Pradesh including World Bank Assisted ICDS APER Project during the last three years are as under:

Item(s)	As on 31.3.2005	As on 31.32006	As on 31.3.2007
Projects Sanctioned	363	376	385
Projects Operational	351	363	376
AWCs Sanctioned	56539	66101	73944
AWCs Operational	53760	56364	61761
No. of Beneficiaries for supplementary nutrition [(Children 6 months to 6 years) and Pregnant & Lactating Mothers (P&LM)]	3064494	3112789	4103963
No. of Beneficiaries for pre-school education [Children (3-6 years)]	1564251	1528018	1830381

(b) The amount released to the State of Andhra Pradesh during the last three years are as under:

(Rupees in lakhs)

Funds released to the State Government of Andhra Pradesh under	2004-2005	2005-2006	2006-2007
ICDS (General)	727734	14750.69	21877.67
Supplementary Nutrition	*	4745.42	9052.04
ICDS Training Programme	504.02	724.83	93923
World Bank Assisted ICDS—Andhra Pradesh Economic Restructuring (APER) Project	5490	6603	—

*Central Assistance for supplementary nutrition to States was started from 2005-2006.